

TRIPURA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

12TH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

THIRD SESSION

(From the 23rd November, 2018 to 27th November, 2018)

RESUME OF BUSINESS

TRIPURA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, SECRETARIAT ASSEMBLY HOUSE, AGARTALA

PREFACE

- 1. This Publication contains "Resume of Business" transacted by the Tripura Legislative Assembly during the Third Session (12th Tripura Legislative Assembly) held from the 23rd November, 2018 to 27th November, 2018.
- 2. It is hoped that the Publication would be found useful by the Members and others who may wish to know in brief the works done by the Tripura Legislative Assembly during the above mentioned Session.
- 3. Any suggestion for further improvement of this publication in future would be gratefully accepted.

Dated, Agartala The January, 2019 S. Sikdar
Secretary,
Tripura Legislative Assembly

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RESUME OF BUSINESS TRANSACTED DURING THE THIRD SESSION OF THE TWELFTH TRIPURA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

I. SUMMONS

Summons for the third Session of the Twelfth Tripura Legislative Assembly were issued to the Members on 1st November, 2018.

II. DURATION OF THE SESSION

The third Session of the Twelfth Tripura Legislative Assembly commenced from 23rd November, 2018 and the House was adjourned SINE-DIE by the Hon'ble Speaker on 27th November, 2018. The House was subsequently prorogued by His Excellency the Governor with effect from the 24th December, 2018.

III. SITTING OF THE ASSEMBLY

The Tripura Legislative Assembly met for three days under Rule 16 (1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Tripura Legislative Assembly. The seating during the period from the 23rd November, 2018 to 27th November, 2018 in terms of hours was for thirteen hours forty minutes only.

IV. OBITUARY REFERENCES

On November 23, 2018 the Hon'ble Speaker made references to the passing away of the following distinguised persons:-

- i) M. Karunanidhi, Ex-Chief Minister of Tamilnadu.
- ii) Somnath Chattarjee, Ex-Speaker of Lok Sabha.
- iii) Atal Bihari Bajpayee, Ex-Prime Minister of India.
- iv) Ananth Kumar, Ex-Union Minister of India.

At the end of the references, all the Hon'ble Ministers and Members stood in silence for 2 (two) minutes as a mark of respect to the departed souls.

V. QUESTIONS

Information in details regarding questions during the Session are given below:

1. Number of Notices of	f Question	is received:		
	i)	Short Notice	:	Nil
	ii)	Starred	:	337 Nos.
	iii)	Un-starred	:	70 Nos.
		Total	:	407 Nos.
2. Number of Questions	admitted	as:		
	i)	Short Notice	:	Nil
	ii)	Starred	:	192 Nos.
	iii)_	Un-starred	:	159 Nos.
		Total	:	351 Nos.
3. Number of Questions	converted	form:		
	i)	Short Notice to Starred	:	Nil
	ii)	Starred to Un-starred		75 Nos.
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		Total	:	75 Nos.
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vi. PRESENTATION AND ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT OF THE BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE – Adopted

On November 23, 2018 Smt. Kalyani Roy, Hon'ble Government Chief Whip presented before the House the report of the Business Advisory Committee as required under rule 235 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Tripura Legislative Assembly for allocating the time for transaction of various items for the 3rd Session of the 12th Tripura Legislative Assembly summoned on 23rd November, 2018 which continued till 27th November, 2018.

Smt. Kalyani Roy, the Hon'ble Government Chief Whip moved under rule 236(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Tripura Legislative Assembly the following Motion:-

"বিজনেস অ্যাডভাইসারী কমিটি কর্তৃক প্রস্তাবিত সময় নির্ঘন্টের সহিত এই সভা একমত।"

As soon as the report of the Business Advisory Committee was presented, Shri Ramendra Ch. Debnath, Hon'ble Member said that in the absence of the Hon'ble Deputy Sepaker, the report could have been presented before the House by the Hon'ble Minister-incharge of the Parliamentary Affairs Department instead of the Hon'ble Government Chief Whip. He also said that this was unprecedented in the Tripura Legislative Assembly.

Shri Ratanlal Nath, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Parliamentary Affairs Department clarified the matter.

(The Motion was adopted by the House unanimously)

vii. PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS

On November 26, 2018 The Hon'ble Deputy Speaker announced before the House that he had received 4 (Four) Petitions duly countersigned by the Hon'ble Members Shri Dilip Kr. Das, Shri Bhagaban Ch. Das, Shri Sudhangshu Das and Shri Biswabandhu Sen.

Then, the Hon'ble Deputy Speaker requested the Secretary, Tripura Legislative Assembly to Presented the 4 (Four) petitions before the House.

The Secretary, Tripura Legislative Assembly presented the 4 (Four) petitions before the House as follows:-

"The Hon'ble Deputy Speaker Sir, As per provision of Rule 255 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Tripura Legislative Assembly, I do hereby report 4 (four) Petitions namely.

Petition No. 1 dated 26th June, 2018 of Shri Chitta Ranjan Paul and 240 other signatories duly countersigned by Shri Dilip Kumar Das, Hon'ble Member, Tripura Legislative Assembly regarding the prayer for widening and "up gradation" of the 3km road from Gandhigram PHC junction to Natunnagar Co-operative via Patunagar into a full fledged road which will benefit the inhabitants of Gandhigram Panchayet, Narsingarh and Nabagram.

Petition No. 2 dated 9th October, 2018 of Sri Om Prakash Acharjee and 364 other signatories duly countersigned by Shri Bhagaban Ch. Das, Hon'ble Member, Tripura Legislative Assembly regarding the prayer for construction of a RCC Bridge over the river Manu connecting Ujan Dudhpur and Kanchanbari which will relieve about five hundred families of Ujan Dudhpur Gram Panchayet under Unakoti District the trouble and risk of movement round the year through the river Manu to reach Kanchanbari for all purposes.

Petition No. 3 dated 9th October, 2018 of Sri Kishore Das and 290 other signatories duly countersigned by Sri Sudhangshu Das Hon'ble Member, Tripura Legislative Assembly regarding the prayer for sanction of a Baily Bridge from the Northern side of Fatikroy Bazar to Saidabari over the river Manu at Fatikroy in Unakoti District which will benefit the people of Fatikroy specially the farmers in selling their produce in the market.

Petition No. 4 dated 5th November, 2018 of Sri Mahesh Nath and 149 other signatories duly countersigned by Shri Biswabandhu Sen, Hon'ble Deputy Speaker, Tripura Legislative Assembly regarding the prayer for construction of a Pucca Dam on the bank of river Juri at Sonarerbasa area of Bhagyapur Gram Panchayet, Ward No. 4 under 56 Dharmanagar Assembly Constituency, North Tripura District for benefit of the villagers affected by sinking of the river bed "

viii. REFERENCE CASES

During the "Reference Period" in different sittings of the House, 3 (three) matters of urgent public importance had been raised by the Members drawing attention of the Ministers concerned. The Ministers concerned made statement on these matters details of which are given in the Appendix - I.

ix. CALLING ATTENTION

During the Session, 3 (three) Calling Attention notice had been admitted by the Hon'ble Speaker. The Ministers concernned made statement on these matters of urgent public

importance. Details of admitted Notice that were taken up in the House are given in the Appendix - II.

x. MATTER RAISED BY MEMBERS

- a) On 23rd November, 2018 Hon'ble Members raised the following matters:-
- i) Shri Tapan Chakraborty, Hon'ble Member drawing the attention of the Hon'ble Speaker said that more questions ought to have been admitted as Starred Questions during the Question Hour.

Shri Bhanulal Saha, Hon'ble Member drawing the attention of the Hon'ble Speaker said that he had a Starred Question which was admitted as Un-Starred but when he intervenced, it was admitted as Starred Question.

The Hon'ble Speaker clarified why more questions were not admitted in the Business for that day as Starred Question.

ii) Shri Tapan Chakraborty, Hon'ble Member drawing the attention of the Hon'ble Chief Minister through the Hon'ble Speaker said that there was news in the local news paper, Tripura Darpan Patrika as "Bomb explosion at Banikya Chowmuhani" and in another local news paper as "Bomb explosion at midnight, affected women come to the Hon'ble Chief Minister's home." But the twenty five accused persons were not arrested.

Shri Biplab Kr. Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister informed the House that he would make the statement an another day after taking the reports.

Shri Prabhat Choudhury, Hon'ble Member drawing the attention of the Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department wanted to know about the double ration facilities in the Tribal rural areas in the State.

Shri Manoj Kanti Deb, Hon'ble Minister suggested the Hon'ble Member to submit a notice when he would make detail reply on this issue.

iii) Shri Remendra Ch. Debnath, Hon'ble Member, CPI (M) drawing the attention of the Hon'ble Chief Minister through the Hon'ble Chairman alleged that the ruling party activits were nakedly trying to capture the Nagar Panchayet and Panchayet Samity as a whole in the State.

He referred to the Jubaraj Nagar Block and said that there was a notice on Noconfidence Motion and on that day the ruling party activits gathered on roads and entrance of the Block Office so that the Members of the CPI (M) were bound to go back from the Block Office without attending the meetting.

He also stated that there was no such instance in the last 25 years during the Left Front Government in the State.

Shri Arun Ch. Bhowmik, Hon'ble Member, ruling party replied that the allegation was totally false.

Shri Sudhan Das, Hon'ble Member, CPI (M) alleged that the South Tripura Zila Parisad meeting was called by the D.M South Tripura on 15th November, 2018. But oneday before, Shri Himangsu Roy, President of the Zila Parisad was attacked by some miscreants at his home and huge damage to his properties was caused. At the same time, Shri Naresh Pathary, Vice-President of the Zila Parisad was also threatened by the miscreants, he alleged.

Shri Ratanlal Nath, Hon'ble Minister appealed to the Hon'ble Chairman to go to the next important business for the day.

Then, the Hon'ble Chairman requested the Hon'ble Member to bring a notice on the issue on another day.

Shri Badal Choudhury, Hon'ble Member, CPI (M) said that there was no scope to bring notice on that issue in the House. He also alleged that one day when he was going to Belonia to attend a party meeting he got the news that the party workers were attacked by miscreants in front of the S.P. Office. He wanted the Hon'ble Chief Minister to ensure the democratic rights in the State.

Shri Susanta Choudhury, Hon'ble Member of ruling party said democrecy was killed during the 25 years of the Left front Government in the State.

Shri Biplab Kr. Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister assured the House that report would be taken in the matters raised by the Hon'ble Member Shri Ramendra Ch. Debnath and others.

- b) On 26th November, 2018 Hon'ble Members raised the following matters:-
- i) Shri Susanta Choudhury, Hon'ble Member Treasury Banch raised a matter addressing the Hon'ble Deputy Speaker and said that when the Nation was celebrating the Republic Day on 26th January 2003, on that day between 6.30 P.M and 7.00 P.M, Mandai Chowmuhani under the Majlishpur Constituency was attacked by miscreants who killed 11 persons of Bengali Community. He continued that four persons were arrested in the case who were opposition party workers and they were acquitted by the Judge's Court.

So, the Hon'ble Member Treasury Bench, Shri Susanta Choudhury requested the Hon'ble Chief Minister to re-open the case and undertake further investigation to identify the main culprits and to punish them.

Shri Biplab Kr. Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister replied that would have to order the D.G.P. or the responsible Department to examine the Technical matter of the case.

Shri Sudhan Das, Hon'ble Member, CPI(M) drew the attention of the Hon'ble Chief Minister through the Hon'ble Deputy Speaker and said that on 16th November, 2018 Shri Narayan Ch. Choudhury, Hon'ble Member, CPI (M) was attacked by miscreants at Kamalasagarh Chowmuhani near Bishalgarh when he was returning from a meetting.

He added that on 29th September, 2018 Shri Prabhat Choudhury, Hon'ble Member, CPI(M) was also attacked by miscreants when he was returning from a social function. In a another incident on 24th July, 2018 Shri Badal Choudhury, Hon'ble Member and Shri Ratan Kr. Bhowmik, Hon'ble Member both CPI(M) were attacked at Udaipur. He also said that Shri Burba Mohan Tripura, Hon'ble Member and Shri Sudhangsu Das, Hon'ble Member both from Treasury Bench were also attacked around the same time.

Shri Sudhangsu Das, Hon'ble Member, Treasury Bench protested and said that he did not know when he was attacked. He said that the Hon'ble Member Shri Sudhan Das was trying to misguide the House.

Shri Sudhangsu Das, Hon'ble Member, Treasury Bench, pointed out that the By-election of Municipality and the Agartala Municipal Corporation was fixed on 22nd December, 2018 and the celebration of birth Anniversary of Shri Shri Anukul Chandra was on the 23rd December, 2018. He farther said that holding the By-election of Municipality and the Corporation on that day would not be proper. He also said that the main programme of the birthday of Shri Anukul Chandra would be at Umakanta School, Agartala Centrally.

So, the Hon'ble Member, Treasury Bench Shri Sudhangsu Das requested the State Election Commission through the House to defer the date of By-election of Municipality and the Municipal Corporation which was fixed on the 22nd December, 2018.

(Then, in protest, all the Opposition Members Walked-Out from the House at 12.16 P.M. and came back at 12.20 P.M.)

ii) Shri Asish Das, Hon'ble Member drew the attention of the Hon'ble Minister incharge of the Transport Department through the Hon'ble Deputy Speaker and said that he had a road accident that day with a car and shared practical experience in the House about the accident. He said that main causes of the road accidents were careless driving, not sounding horn in time, intoxicated driving and jungles in both sides of the roads. So, he brought this to the notice of the Transport Department to take more preventive measures in the interest of the lives and properties of the passengers.

The Hon'ble Deputy Speaker requested the Hon'ble Member to communicate with the Hon'ble Minister on another day as he was absent in the House.

c) On November 27, 2018 Hon'ble Member raised the following matters:-

i) Shri Susanta Choudhury, Hon'ble Member drew the attention of the Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Urban Development Department through the Hon'ble Speaker and said that in the construction of recidential building for slums dwellers at Radhanagar, Agartala during the Left front Government very low quality materials were used and now living therein was dengerious.

He demanded that the building be declared damaged by the Government and to punish the contractor as per Law.

Shri Ratan Bhowmik, Hon'ble Member drew the attention of the Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister through the Hon'ble Speaker and said that a news was published in the local news papers on 22nd Nov. 2018 about Die-in-harness Scheme benefits for the State Government Employees.

Reading the news the State Government Employees became anxious and the Hon'ble Member demanded a statement by the Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister about the matter.

Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister assured the Hon'ble Member Shri Susanta Choudhury that the matter relating to the building must be enquired in to.

Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister replied on the matter raised by the Hon'ble Member Shri Ratan Bhowmik and said that the matter was already clarified by the Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Education Department through the Press Release.

The Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister said that the State Government Employees must be benefited through the resolution taken by the State Government.

Shri Ratan Chakraborty, Hon'ble Member drew the attention of the Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Rural Development Department through the Hon'ble Speaker and said that due to difficulties in getting proper ORR the beneficiaries to the BPL families were not getting the benefits.

Secondly, he raised the point that there is difference in tender call price rate of Bricks between the Public Works Department and the Rural Development Department of the State Government. While the Public Works Department tender call price rate is Rs. 8.03 per brick, the rate of the Rural Development Department tender call rate is Rs. 11.30 per brick. For this, the construction works are now stopped at present in the rural areas of the State.

ii) Shri Sudhan Das, Hon'ble Member CPI (M) drew the attention of the Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister through the Hon'ble Deputy Speaker and said that the miscrents were obstructing the opposition party candidates in sub-divisional places at Bishagarh, Melagharh, Santirbazar and Kamalpur in submission of Nominations for the By-election to Municipality and Municipal Corporation seheduled to be held on 22nd December, 2018.

The Hon'ble Member demanded that minimum security be provided to the candidates who are to submit their Nomination papers in the above mentioned places.

Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister replied to the Hon'ble Member Shri Sudhan Das and pointed out that he saw the news item in Daily Deshar Katha Patrika that they were freely campaining in various places in the State.

The Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister also said that they all desire that free and fair Byelection is held in the State.

Shri Sindhu Chandra Jamatia, Hon'ble Member drew the attention of the Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister through the Hon'ble Deputy Speaker and wanted to know about the High Level Committee which was formed earlier by the Central Government to Constitute the Tipraland.

Shri Dhananjoy Tripura, Hon'ble Member drew the attention of the Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister through the Hon'ble Deputy Speaker and wanted to know about the news published in Syandan Patrika on 22nd Nov. 2018 about the memorandum submitted by the ATISA Students Union to the Hon'ble Governor of Tripura. The demands of memorandum were that the Kok-borok language be admitted in the Sixth Schedule and the Roman Script for Kok-borok language be introduced. It was also demanded that the Tripurabda (Tring) be observed as a Government Holiday in the State.

Shri Prasanta Deb Barma, Hon'ble Member drew the attention of the Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister through the Hon'ble Deputy Speaker and demanded that 22nd December be declared a Government Holiday and the first Tring Day of the year.

Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister replied that the High Power Committee had taken the memorandum and after examination report would be submitted to the State Government. There after, something about the matter could be said.

Secondly, after taking the memorandum from the Hon'ble Governor the decision would be taken by the State Government.

xi. ANNOUNCEMENT MADE BY THE CHAIR

- a) On 23rd November, 2018 The Hon'ble Speaker announced the following matters in the House:-
- i) The Hon'ble Speaker announced in the House that he had received a letter from Shri Biswa Bandhu Sen, Hon'ble Deputy Speaker, Tripura Legislative Assembly informed that he would not be present in the House today on 23rd November, 2018.
- ii) The Hon'ble Speaker announced in the House that the on going Assembly Session would be concluded on 27th November, 2018. So the Hon'ble Members were requested not to submit Reference Notice and Calling Attention Notice on 26th November and 27th November, 2018.
- iii) The Hon'ble Speaker informed the House that a letter was received from Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister that he would not be present in the House

on 26th Nov. 2018 and all duties and Business of the day in respect of the Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister in the House would be performed by Shri Ratanlal Nath, Hon'ble Minister-incharge of the Education, Law and Parliamentary Affairs etc. Department.

- iv) The Hon'ble Speaker informed the House that a letter was received from Shri Biplab Kr. Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister informing that he would not be present in the House on the 27th Nov. 2018 due to the meetting with the Princes of Thailand and that the duties and business of the day in the Assembly during his absence would be parformed by Shri Jishnu DevVarma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister.
- v) The Hon'ble Chairman informed the House that the Re-constituted Committee on 'Entitlement of Members of the House for the 12th Tripura Legislative Assembly, would be as follows:-

i)	Shri Ratanlal Nath, Hon'ble Minister,	Chairman.
ii)	Shri Mevar Kr. Jamatia, Hon'ble Minister,	Member.
iii)	Smti. Kalyani Roy, Government Chief Whip,	Member.
iv)	Shri Ratan Chakraborty,	Member.
v)	Shri Asish Kr. Saha,	Member.
vi)	Shri Sudhangsu Das,	Member.
vii)	Shri Tapan Chakraborty,	Member.
viii)	Shri Sahid Choudhury,	Member.
ix)	Shri Sudhan Das,	Member.

- vi) The Hon'ble Chairman informed the House that the Hon'ble Chief Minister would not remain Present in the House that day during the 2nd and 3rd Private Members Resolution, the rest business of the day.
- b) On 27th November, 2018 The Hon'ble Speaker announced the following matters in the House:-
- i) The Hon'ble Speaker informed the House that he had received a letter from Smt. Santana Chakma, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Social Welfare & Social Education and Animal Resource Development Department informing that she would not be able to remain present in the house on 27th November, 2018 due to death of her father.

Accordingly. Smt. Santana Chakma, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Social Welfare & Social Education and Animal Resource Development Department had authorized Shri Ratanlal Nath, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Law and Education etc. Department to perform and discharge all duties and Business in the House relating to her Department.

ii) The Hon'ble Speaker announced in the House that the 4 (Four) Petitions reported in the House on 26th November, 2018 are referred to the Petition Committee on 27th November, 2018 under the rule 257 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Tripura Legislative Assembly for examination and report to the House.

xii. PRESENTATION OF ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE REPORT

On 27th November, 2018 Shri Bhanulal Saha, Hon'ble Chairman of the Public Accounts Committee presented before the House a copy of each of the 135th, 136th, 137th and 138th Reports of the Committee.

xiii. FORMATION OF THE ETHICS COMMITTEE

On 27th November, 2018 the Hon'ble Deputy Speaker announced in the House that in pursuance of rule 202(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Tripura Legislative Assembly, he had constituted Ethics Committee of the Tripura Legislative Assembly with the following Hon'ble Members for the financial year 2018-2019:-

i)	Shri Biswabandhu Sen,	Member
ii)	Smt. Kalyani Roy,	Member.
iii)	Shri Asish Kr. Saha,	Member.
iv)	Shri Rampada Jamatia,	Member.
v)	Shri Dilip Kr. Das,	Member.
vi)	Shri Dhirendra Deb Barma,	Member.
vii)	Shri Dhananjoy Tripura,	Member.
viii)	Shri Tapan Chakraborty,	Member.
ix)	Shri Ramendra Ch. Debnath.	Member.

In pursuance of rule 277(A) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Tripura Legislative Assembly, the Hon'ble Deputy Speaker shall be the Ex-Officio, Chairman of the Committee.

xiv. STATEMENT MADE BY THE MINISTER

On 27th November, 2018 Shri Ratanlal Nath, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Education Department made a statement on the matter Script for Kokborok Language which was raised by the Hon'ble Member Shri Brishaketu Deb Barma.

The Kokborok Language is a declared State Language by the State Government. At present, in 1111 out of 1205 J. B. Schools in the State students are studying in Kokborok. In 94 (ninty four) S. B. Schools, 37 (Thirty Seven) Madhyamik Schools and 33 (thrity three) Higher Secondary Schools, 22 (Twenty two) Colleges and in the Tripura University Kokborok is taught as a subject.

Earlier Government constituted "The Bhasha Commission" on 17th June, 2004 and the report was submitted on the 5th August, 2005. But the Government did not accept the report. 23.97 % population in Tripura speak in Kokborok Language.

The Government is trying to up-grade more schools to Kokborok Language Schools. The State Government is trying to create 22 (Twenty two) posts of Asstt. Professors in the University level.

The script problem is still a debate in the State and no solution is reached yet.

The Government is trying its best for a solution unanimously in the State. In this regard on the 'Expart Committee' would be formed by the State Government.

Shri Jishnu Dev Varman, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister made a statement on the matter raised by the Hon'ble Member Shri Tapan Chakraborty that on 21st Nov. 2018. Shri Chayan Das, son of Biswajit Das lodged an FIR in the Bodhjung Nagar P.S. against Biplab Biswas and others alleging attack of his home in absence of his father and that the investigating officer of Bodhjung Nagar P.S. visited the spot and started investigation.

Preliminary report was that on 19th November, 2018 Miss Soma Paul lodged on FIR at the Bodhjung Nagar P.S. against Bapan Ghosh and Litan Malakar. In the case, Litan Malakar was arrested on 20th November, 2018 and the bail was rejected by the Court on 21st November, 2018. Delighted by the news, the accused persons started bursting crackers and came in fornt of the residence of Chayan Das. The investigation was going on.

Shri Jishnu Dev Varman, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister made a statement on the matter raised by the Hon'ble Member Shri Ramendra Ch. Debnath.

On the 23rd November, 2018 on the notice of No-Confidence Motion a metting was called in the R. D. Block at 12.00 noon in the premises of the Panchayet Office. Accordingly, the security steps were taken by the SDPO Dharmanagar and the O.C. Dharmanagar in the Jubarajnagar Block areas.

The total Member of the Panchayet Samiti are 13 (Thirteen) in the Jubarajnagar Block. 5 (five) Members of the BJP and the 2 (Two) Members of CPI (M) were present in the meeting. There was no kind of blockade by the miscreants in the Jubarajnagar Block areas. The meetting of No-Confidence Motion was conducted in free and fair manner on that day at 12.30P.M.

xv. LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

The following Bills were introduced and passed during the session.

Sl. No	Name of the Bill	Date of Intr- oduction	Date of Consideration and passing	Name of Minister who Moved the Bill	Number of Members Including Ministers who took part in the Debate
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	"The Tripura Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Reservation (Third Amendment) Bill, 2018 (The Tripura Bill No. 10 of 2018)	23-11-2018	26-11-2018	Shri Mevar Kr. Jamatia, Hon'ble Minister-in- charge of the Tribal Welfare etc. Department	Nil
2	"The Tripura Cooperative Societies (Fourth Amendment) Bill, 2018(The Tripura Bill No. 13 of 2018)."	23-11-2018	26-11-2018	Shri Biplab Kumar Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister who is also the Minister- in-charge of the Industry & Commerce (excluding IT) etc. Department.	Nil
3	"The Tripura Urban Planning and Development Bill, 2018 (The Tripura Bill No. 15 of 2018)."	23-11-2018		Shri Biplab Kumar Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister who is also the Minister- in-charge of the Urban Development Department.	09
4	"The Criminal Law (Tripura Amendment) Bill, 2018 (The Tripura Bill No.16 of 2018)."	23-11-2018	26-11-2018	Shri Biplab Kumar Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister, who is also the Minister in- charge of the Home etc. Department.	Nil
5	"The Tripura shops and Establishments (Fourth Amendment) Bill, 2018 (The Tripura Bill No. 9 of 2018)."	23-11-2018	26-11-2018	Shri Biplab Kumar Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister, who is also the Minister- in-charge of the Industry & Commerce (Excluding IT) etc. Department	10

Sl. No	Name of the Bill	Date of Intr- oduction	Date of Consideration and passing	Name of Minister who Moved the Bill	Number of Members Including Ministers who took part in the Debate
1	2	3	4	5	6
6	"The Tripura Aadhar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies and Benefits) Bill, 2018 (The Tripura Bill No. 8 of 2018)."	23-11-2018	27-11-2018	Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister who is also the Minister-in-charge of the Finance etc. Department	Nil
7	"The Tripura State Goods and Services Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2018 (The Tripura Bill No. 11 of 2018)."	23-11-2018	27-11-2018	Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister who is also the Minister-in-charge of the Finance etc. Department	Nil
8	"The Tripura Road Development Cess Bill, 2018 (The Tripura Bill No. 12 of 2018)."	23-11-2018	27-11-2018	Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister who is also the Minister-in-charge of the Finance etc. Department	2 (Two)
9	"The Tripura Excise (Third Amendment) Bill, 2018 (The Tripura Bill No. 14 of 2018)."	23-11-2018	27-11-2018	Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister who is also the Minister-in-charge of the Finance etc. Department	Nil
10	"The Tripura Clinical Establishment (Registration and Regulation) Bill, 2018 (The Tripura Bill No. 17 of 2018)"	23-11-2018	27-11-2018	Shri Sudip Roy Barman, Hon'ble Minister-in- charge of the Health & Family Welfare etc. Department	2 (Two)

xvi. PRIVATE MEMBERS RESOLUTION - Adopted

On November 23, 2018 the following Private Members Resolution moved by the members:-

i) Shri Arun Ch. Bhowmik, Hon'ble Member initiated the discussion and moved his following Resolution:-

"পূর্বতন বামফ্রন্ট সরকারের আর্থিক বোঝার দায়ভার বর্তমান সরকারের উপর বর্তানোর ফলে উদ্ভূত পরিস্থিতি নিরসনে ও রাজ্যের সার্বিক উন্নয়নের স্বার্থে ত্রিপুরা রাজ্যকে সর্বতোভাবে সহযোগিতা করার জন্য ত্রিপুরা বিধানসভা কেন্দ্রীয় সরকারকে অনুরোধ জানাচ্ছে।"

The following Members / Minister took part in the discussion :-

i) Shri Bhanulal Saha, Member.

ii) Shri Susanta Choudhury, Member.

iii) Shri Badal Choudhury, Member.

Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister who is also the Minister-in-charge of the Finance etc. Department, replied to the debate.

After conclusion of the discussion, the Resolution was put to Voice Vote and was passed by the House.

ii) Shri Binoy Bhusan Das, Hon'ble Member initiated discussion and moved his following Resolution:-

"রাজ্যে যথেষ্ট সম্ভাবনাময় পর্যটন শিল্পের বিকাশ ঘটাতে এবং আরও বেশী সংখ্যায় বিদেশী পর্যটকদের আকৃষ্ট করতে প্রতিবেশী রাষ্ট্র বাংলাদেশের কুমিল্লায় একটি "ভারতীয় ভিসা অফিস" স্থাপনের জন্য প্রয়োজনীয় উদ্যোগ গ্রহন করতে ত্রিপুরা বিধানসভা ভারত সরকারকে অনুরোধ জানাচ্ছে।"

The following Hon'ble Members / Minister took part n the discussion:-

i) Shri Ratan Bhowmik, Member.

ii) Smti. Kalyani Roy, Govt. Chief Whip, Member.

Shri Biplab Kr. Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister, who is also the Minister-in-charge of the Information & Cultural Affairs etc. Department, replied to the debate.

After conclusion of the discussion, the Resolution was put to Voice Vote and was passed by the House unanimously.

iii) Shri Dilip Kr. Das, Hon'ble Member initiated discussion and moved his following Resolution:-

"আগরতলা শহরবাসীর সার্বিক কল্যাণে আধুনিক প্রযুক্তিযুক্ত "Smart City"-র পূর্ণাঙ্গ এবং বাস্তবোচিত রূপ দিতে বর্তমান প্রকল্পটির প্রয়োজনীয় পরিবর্তন ও পরিবর্ধন করার জন্য ত্রিপুরা বিধানসভা রাজ্য সরকারকে প্রয়োজনীয় উদ্যোগ গ্রহন করার জন্য অনুরোধ জানাচ্ছে।"

The following Hon'ble Member / Minister took part n the discussion :-

i) Shri Shyamal Chakraborty, Member.

Shri Biplab Kr. Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister, who is also the Minister-in-charge of the Public Works (Excluding DWS) etc. Department, replied to the debate.

After conclusion of the discussion the Resolution was withdrawn by the mover Shri Dilip Kr. Das, Hon'ble Member.

xvii. LAYING OF PAPERS ON THE TABLE OF THE HOUSE

- A) On November 23, 2018 Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister, laid a copy of each of:-
- i) "The Report (Report No. 1 of 2018) of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India on Social, Economic and Revenue Sectors for the year 2016-2017."
- ii) "The Annual Technical Inspection Report on Panchayati Raj Institutions and Urban Local Bodies for the year ended 31st March, 2017." and
- iii) "The Annual Report of the Tripura Electricity Regulatory Commission for the year 2016 2017."
- B) On November 23, 2018 Shri Biplab Kumar Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister laid a copy of: "The Annual Report of the Tripura Police Accountability Commission for the year 2016."
- C) On November 23, 2018 Shri Ratanlal Nath, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Education Department, laid a copy of:-
 - "The Audited Accounts of Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) Tripura for the year 2016 -2017."
- D) On Novemver 23, 2018 Shri Mevar Kr. Jamatia, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Forest Department, laid a copy of:-
- "The Annual Report of the Tripura Forest Development and Plantation Corporation Ltd. for the year 2015 -2016."
- E) On November 26, 2018 Shri RatanlalNath, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister (Acting) of the Finance etc. Department laid a copy of each of:
 - i) "The Tripura State Goods and Services Tax (Fifth Amendment) Rules, 2018."
 - ii) "The Tripura State Goods and Services Tax (Sixth Amendment) Rules, 2018."
 - iii) "The Tripura State Goods and Services Tax (Seventh Amendment) Rules, 2018."
 - iv) "The Tripura State Goods and Services Tax (Eight Amendment) Rules, 2018."
 - v) "The Tripura State Goods and Services Tax (Ninth Amendment) Rules, 2018."
 - vi) "The Tripura State Goods and Services Tax (Tenth Amendment) Rules, 2018."
 - vii) "The Tripura State Goods and Services Tax (Eleventh Amendment) Rules, 2018."

viii) "The Tripura State Goods and Services Tax (Twelfth Amendment) Rules, 2018."

AND

ix) The 31 (Thirty-one) Nos. of Notifications issued under "The Tripura State Goods and Services Tax Act, 2017 (Tripura Act No. 9 of 2017)"

Laying of ordinance

- i) On November 23, 2018 Shri Biplab Kumar Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister who is also the Minister-in-charge of the Industry & Commerce (Excluding IT) etc. Department laid on the Table of the House a copy of:-
- "The Tripura Co-operative Societies (Fourth Amendment) Ordinance, 2018 (Tripura Ordinance No. 5 of 2018)."
- ii) On November 23, 2018 Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister who is also the Minister-in-charge of the Finance etc. Department laid on the Table of the House a copy of:-
- "The Tripura Aadhar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies and Benefits) Ordinance, 2018 (The Tripura Ordinance No. 3 of 2018)."
- iii) On November 23, 2018 Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister who is also the Minister-in-charge of the Finance etc. Department laid on the Table of the House a copy of:-
- "The Tripura State Goods and Services Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 2018 (The Tripura Ordinance No. 4 of 2018)."
- iv) On November 23, 2018 Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister who is also the Minister-in-charge of the Finance etc. Department laid on the Table of the House a copy of:-
- "The Tripura Road Development Cess Ordinance, 2018 (The Tripura Ordinance No. 2 of 2018)."

Laying of Rules and Regulation

- i) On Novmeber 26, 2018 Shri Narendra Ch. Deb Barma, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Revenue etc. Department laid a copy of :-
 - "The Tripura Stamp (Payment of duty by means of e-stamping) Rules, 2018."
- ii) On Novmeber 26, 2018 Shri Ratanlal Nath, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Education (Higher) etc. Department laid a copy of each of:
 - a) "The First Ordinance, 2018 under the Maharaja Bir Bikram University act, 2015,"
 - b) "The First Ordinance, 2018 under the Maharaja Bir Bikram University act, 2015,"

AND

c) "The First Regulation, 2018 under the Maharaja Bir Bikram University Act, 2015,"

iii) On Novmeber 27, 2018 Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister, who is also the Minister- in-charge of the Finance etc. Department laid on the Table of the House a copy of:-

"The Tripura Road Development Cess Rules, 2018."

Laying of postponed questions on the Table of the House

- a) On November 26, 2018 Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of verious Departments laying of following Postpond Questions on the Table of the House.
- i) Shri Biplab Kr. Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister who is also the Minister-in-charge of the General Administration (P&T) Department laid on the Table of the House a copy of reply of the Postponed Unstarred Question No. 126 which was jointly raised in the last Session in the House by the Hon'ble Members Shri Dhananjoy Tripura and Shri Diba Chandra Hrangkhawl.
- ii) Shri Ratanlal Nath, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Law Department, laid on the Table of the House a copy of reply of the Postponed Un-starred Question No. 15 which was raised in the last Session in the House by the Hon'ble Member Shri Surajit Datta.
- b) On Novmeber 27, 2018 Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of verious Departments laying of following Postpond Questions on the Table of the House.
- i) Shri Jishnu Dev Varma, Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister who is also the Minister-in-charge of the Finance etc. Department, laid a copy of each of the reply to the Postponed Starred Question No. 196 and Un-starred Question Nos. 24, 89 on the Table of the House.
- ii) Shri Pranajit Singha Roy, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Transport, Agriculture etc. Department laid a copy of each of the reply to the Un-starred Question No. 73, 118 on the Table of the House.

xviii. VALEDICTORY SPEECH MADE BY THE CHAIR

On Novmeber 27, 2018 at the Conclusion of the Business of the day. The Hon'ble Speaker made a Valedictory Speech as follows:-

মাননীয় সদস্য / সদস্যাগণ, দ্বাদশ বিধানসভার তৃতীয় অধিবেশন শেষ দিন। গত ২৩ নভেম্বর, ২০১৮ ইং তারিখ এই অধিবেশন শুরু হয়েছিল। চলতি অধিবেশনে আপনারা সরকারী কর্মসূচীর পাশাপাশি বে-সরকারী কর্মসূচীগুলি নিয়েও বিশদ আলোচনা করেছেন। এর বাইরেও জনস্বার্থমূলক জরুরী প্রাসঙ্গিক কিছু বিষয় উল্লেখ করে মাননীয় বিভাগীয় মন্ত্রীদের দৃষ্টি আকর্ষণ করেন এবং বিভাগীয় মন্ত্রীগণ সেই অনুযায়ী সম্ভোষজনক বিবৃতি দিয়ে বিষয়গুলি সম্পর্কে বিস্তারিতভাবে

সভাকে অবহিত করেছেন। আমি আশা করব মাননীয় সদস্য / সদস্যাগণের গুরুত্বপূর্ণ বক্তব্য এবং গঠনমূলক মূল্যবান আলোচনার মাধ্যমে ত্রিপুরাবাসীর রাজনৈতিক, অর্থনৈতিক এবং সামাজিক সকল ক্ষেত্রে উন্নতি সাধিত হবে। ত্রিপুরা বিধানসভার অধিবেশনের গুরুত্বও উত্তরোত্তর বৃদ্ধি পাবে।

মাননীয় সদস্য / সদ্যাগণ, সংসদীয় গণতন্ত্রের নিয়ম-নীতিগুলি মেনে অধিবেশনের কাজ পরিচালনায় আপনাদের সহযোগিতার জন্য জানাই আমার আন্তরিক ধন্যবাদ ও কৃতজ্ঞতা।

রাজ্যবাসীর গণতান্ত্রিক অধিকার রক্ষা, তাঁদের দৈনন্দিন জীবনের সমস্যা সভায় তুলে ধরা ও তার সমাধানকল্পে পরিকল্পনা গ্রহণের জন্য মাননীয় সদস্য / সদস্যাগণ সর্বক্ষেত্রে যেভাবে তাঁদের বক্তব্য সভায় তুলে ধরেছে তার জন্যও আপনাদের জানাই আমার আন্তরিক ধন্যবাদ।

এই সভায় বিভিন্ন সংবাদ প্রতিষ্ঠানের যে সকল সাংবাদিক ও ইলেক্ট্রনিক্স মিডিয়ার বন্ধুগণ উপস্থিত থেকে সভার কার্যবিরণীয় বিষয়বস্তু তাঁদের সংবাদপত্রে এবং টি.ভি চ্যানেলে সঠিকভাবে পরিবেশন করেছেন, তাঁদেরকে ধন্যবাদ জানাচ্ছি।

সভা পরিচালনার ক্ষেত্রে বিধানসভার সচিব সহ সচিবালয়ের আধিকারিক এবং সকল স্তরের কর্মচারীবৃন্দ, বিভিন্ন সরকারী দপ্তরের আধিকারিক ও কর্মচারীবৃন্দ এবং আরক্ষা বিভাগের আধিকারিক ও কর্মীবৃন্দ নিষ্ঠার সঙ্গে যেভাবে দায়িত্ব পালন করে সহযোগিতা করেছেন, তারজন্য উনাদেরকেও আমি আন্তরিক কৃতজ্ঞতা ও ধন্যবাদ জ্ঞাপন করছি।

সভায় উপস্থিত সকলকে আবারও আমার আন্তরিক কৃতজ্ঞতা ও ধন্যবাদ জানিয়ে এই সভা অনির্দিষ্টকালের জন্য মূলতবি ঘোষণা করছি।

The House rose at 3.25 P.M. and stood Adjourned SINE-DIE.

xix. ADMISSION TO GALLERIES

During the period of the Session the following numbers of passes were issued for admission to the different Galleries of the Assembly chamber.

1. Visitor's Gallery : 187 Nos.

2. Official Gallery : 405 Nos.

3. Press Gallery : 39 Nos.

4. Distinguished Visitor's Gallery : 33 Nos.

REFERENCE CASES

APPENDIX-I

SL. No.	Date on which the Statement was made	Name of Members who made Reference and on which date	Minister who made Statement	Subject matter
1	2	3	4	5
1	23-11-2018	Smt. Kalyani Roy, Hon'ble Govt. Chief Whip on 23-11-2018	Shri Ratanlal Nath, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Education Department	"পরীক্ষার প্রশ্নেও গেরুয়াকরণ শুরু?" গত ২০শে নভেম্বর ২০১৮ইং তারিখে "ডেইলী দেশের কথা" পত্রিকার প্রথম পৃষ্ঠায় প্রকাশিত সংবাদ সম্পর্কে।"
2	26-11-2018	Shri Arun Ch. Bhowmik Hon'ble Member on 23-11-2018	Shri Biplab Kumar Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister who is also Minister- in-charge of the Home Department	" চিটফান্ড : হাইকোর্টের কড়া নির্দেশ" গত ২১শে নভেম্বর ২০১৮ ইং তারিখে "স্যন্দন পত্রিকার" প্রথম পৃষ্ঠায় প্রকাশিত সংবাদ সম্পর্কে।"
3	27-11-2018	Shri Badal Choudhury Hon'ble Member on 23-11-2018	Shri Jishnu Dev Varma Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister who is also Minister-in-charge of the Finance Department	" রাজ্য সরকার কর্তৃক সপ্তম পে-কমিশনের সুপারিশ কার্য্যকরী করার ক্ষেত্রে অসংগতি সম্পর্কে।"

CALLING ATTENTION

APPENDIX-II

SL. No.	Date on which the Statement was made	Name of Members who made Reference and on which date	Minister who made Statement	Subject matter
1	2	3	4	5
1	26-11-2018	Shri Sudhan Das, Shri Sahid Choudhury, Hon'ble Members on 23-11-2018	Shri Biplab Kumar Deb, Hon'ble Chief Minister who is also Minister-in- charge of the GA (SA) Department	"নিয়োগের লক্ষ্যে বিভিন্ন দপ্তরে ২০১৬-১৭ এবং ২০১৭-১৮ ইং অর্থবর্ষে যে সকল ইন্টারভিউ শেষে প্রার্থী বাছাই সম্পন্ন হয়েছিল সেই ইন্টারভিউণ্ডলি বাতিল করা সম্পর্কে।"
2	26-11-2018	Shri Sankar Roy, Hon'ble Member on 23-11-2018	Shri Sudip Roy Barman, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Public Works (DWS) Department	"বিগত বামফন্ট সরকারের আমলে রাজ্যের বিভিন্ন ব্লকে সরকারী অনুদানে বাড়ি বাড়ি শৌচালয় নির্মাণ করার জন্য সুবিধা ভোগীদের তালিকা অনুযায়ী অর্থ বরাদ্দ করা সত্ত্বেও বাস্তবে তাহা রূপায়িত না হওয়া সম্পর্কে।"
3	27-11-2018	Shri Asish Kr. Saha, Hon'ble Member on 23-11-2018	Shri Pranjit Singha Roy, Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of the Transport Department	" রাজ্যে বিমানভাড়া বৃদ্ধি এবং বিমানের অপ্রতুলতা হেতু যাত্রী সাধারণের অসুবিধা নিরসন সম্পর্কে।"

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